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COGITATIONS and APHORISMS of

Jodok



Jodok jr.

This column really should be headed with a Birth Announcement this week as Jodok Jr. has just been born. But then there would probably have to be a funeral notice printed for him next week, due to the fact he is very weak minded, and isn't likely to live thru another issue. Maybe not even through this one.

In case anyone should read this and wonder what in the world has happened. Just remember we're wondering too. Must be one of those queer things that's always happening in this column.

The part we do know is on the same basis as the army received it's volunteers. You, You, and You.

Early Monday morning Jodok explained to George McLean and I that we had just volunteered to help get out the paper this week during his absence and I had volunteered to write Jodok. Now this is most queer as I thought I knew better than to volunteer for anything.

It is more than probable if we stay around here much longer we'll learn how to do cogitations and aphorisms, what ever that is, as this column is usually headed Cogitations and Aphorisms of Jodok. But since I don't know what this means and after having passed up the idea after consulting Old Webster for fear

of embarrassing him, too, have decided to skip Cogitations and Aphorisms for this week, probably missing a lot of fun.

Besides queer things Jodok Sr. usually mentions politics and religion, so I wouldn't want this week's issue to get by with out my two cents worth thrown in.

Few people here in the good old U. S. A. realize what a real privilege it is to be able to go to the polls and vote just as you please, for whom you please. So why not go to the polls this coming election and vote as you please whether it's for a Democrat or Republican or what have you.

On the subject of religion, it is really a blessing for us to be able to attend the church of our choice, so why not do so this coming Sunday and every Sunday.

Just in case we say something bad about you in this week's issue, and you want to sue us, we feel it is our duty to warn it won't do you any good as George and I will probably be bound for parts unknown after this issue at least until things cool off here.

Lots of people are saying here that this is the first time they have ever seen the top of the editor's desk here in the Friona Star office. George McLean states that a cyclone hit it and cleared it off.

First time I ever saw a cyclone you judged by weight and age and not by wind velocity and had two legs.

In the absence of Uncle John, the regular editor, the Friona Star office has sure been a place of confusion. The assistant and amateur editors this week were Misses Wanda and Elda Hart, general news reporters and typists, George McLean and Allen Stewart, ad chasers and general flunkies, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flipplin, the chief dispatchers—so if you don't get your Friona Star blame the man if you find the front page on the back side upside down don't be surprised.

It's Hallowe'en



These teen-agers look reflectively into their old-fashioned jack-o-lantern crystal-ball-style to see what omen the magic night holds forth.

New Look Is Added To Legion Hall

The American Legion Hall has taken on a new look from the outside as well as within. The Lions Club did the outside paint job.

There has been lots of comment on what the Legion has been doing on the building and its use by the public. The bottom floor will be for public use and the top floor for the Legion's meetings and socials which are held on the first and third Mondays of each month.

The American Legion has given a space to the City Library for its use with all bills paid except for the partition which they will need to be put in. There will be a lounge in front which can be used for reading purposes. We hope to have tables, chairs, lamps, and all other necessary furniture.

Floyd Stowers will have his accounting office in the southeast part of the building. He hopes to be moved in by December 1. The City has the northeast office and has been occupying it for some time. Most of the people are familiar with its location.

The Legion hopes that if there (Continued on page 4)

Parmer Area Farmers Dig Deep For Huge Agricultural Wealth

Cotton Machinery Developed To Meet Problems Of Farm

COLLEGE STATION—A summary of the best recommended practices in the mechanized production of cotton in Texas has just been released by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Bulletin 704, by H. P. Smith, research agricultural engineer of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, and D. L. Jones, superintendent of the Lubbock Experiment Station, presents highlights of cotton production and shows how mechanization has been developed to meet these problems.

Early Texas farmers produced cotton with the hand hoe and the sweep stick. Riding mule-drawn planters and cultivators were not developed until the 1880's and 1890's.

Outstanding progress has been made in mechanization since the introduction of the row-crop tractor about 25 years ago. Tractor-mounted middlebreakers, planters and cultivators were developed about 1920. Though strippers and pickers were experimented with nearly 100 years ago, there was little progress in their use until attention was given to the effect of varietal characteristics on their performance.

This bulletin, "Mechanized Production of Cotton in Texas," lists each phase of Texas cotton production and discusses the various labor and time-saving machinery which has been developed to handle it. Fifty-five illustrations show these mechanized tools and their relationship to cotton production problems.

Irrigation Development of Parmer County is set apart from its neighboring southwest Panhandle Counties because of the depth of its wells.

Some of the wells, particularly in the Farwell and Bovina area, reach 290 to 300 feet deep, with pumps set from 250 to 260 feet, according to County Agent Ollie Linder.

Other wells, mostly around Friona and along the Bailey County line, near Muleshoe, are 100 to 250 feet deep.

For the most part the water is being used to irrigate grain sorghums. With prices high, the operation has paid off in figures which loom high on Parmer County bank records and has enabled many farmers to pay for a well in the first year of operation.

This means a profit of from \$5,500 to \$10,000 for that is the cost range on wells, depending on depth of drilling. Average cost of wells in the county has been about \$7,500, the county agent said.

Some farmers irrigated wheat and realized a profit last year when prices were high and the dry land crop was a near failure. But wheat irrigation remains a risky operation, Mr. Linder said, with timing the all-important factor. "The water's got to be on at the right time, or it's wasted," he emphasized.

Other irrigated crops, still brand-new to the county are showing promise. A few farmers around Friona have requested potato allotments next year, and four or five operators are raising sugar beets under contract with the American Crystal Sugar Company, which also is contracting the crop around Hereford. Beet harvest is in progress and yields are reported good. Among farmers who are devoting 40 or 50 acres to beets this year are W. L. Edelman and Giles Cobb of Friona.

Another new crop which shows a two-way profit, in added beef poundage and in soil building, is the permanent pasture now being irrigated in Parmer County. A mixture of crested wheat grass, home, perennial rye and alfalfa is winning favor. Altogether there are about 1,000 acres in such pasture, Mr. Linder said.

That thousand acres can economically handle 2,500 head of cattle during the 9½-month growing season. Altogether the pasture project is one of the easiest and most profitable which can be undertaken by the farmer, the county agent believes.

Total irrigation equipment investment in the county is estimated at around \$1,125,000, and it's only the beginning, said County Agent Linder. In this business, he pointed out, one good well leads to another and already several farmers have two or more wells. Among these are W. S. Menefer, Frank and Charley Hinkston, Jess Osborn and W. L. Edelman.

"Nearly every time I locate a well," Mr. Linder said, "I can count on the farmer being back in six months or a year for help in locating a second well."

Parmer County farmers are having to dig for something which comes easy in other parts of the Plains irrigated district, but the deep digging is turning up the customary agricultural treasure.

Lions Vote To Paint Legion Hall

The Friona Lions Club at a meeting voted unanimously to paint the outside of the American Legion Hall.

The motion was made by Mayor Mack Balmou who stated, "The Legion has done a tremendous job in moving, remodeling and interior decorating the hall without once asking for outside donations. In addition they are furnishing space free of rent to the Friona Library. The American Legion Hall will be a credit to Friona and it is our duty to help them out as much as we can."

The painting job was begun the latter part of last week and is progressing nicely.

Panhandle Residents Concerned Over Russia, Possibility Of Another War, Says Congressman

In an interview this week in Amarillo, Congressman Eugene Worley had the following to say:

"Since adjournment of the special session of Congress I have visited most of the 23 counties in the 18th Congressional District. It hasn't been surprising to learn that the people are cheerful and happy, but still concerned—concerned about Russia and the possibility of another horrible war, concerned about what may happen to them if there is an economic crash, concerned about the long-range farm program and what will happen to it should there be a change in Administration.

On the last point they are very greatly concerned because this is the first time in years farmers and ranchers have had a chance to eat at the first table.

No One Hungry

"I have talked with many satisfied and happy people but no hungry ones. I haven't seen any closed banks or heard of any farm or home foreclosures. It may be that some folks can't recall such things now-a-days on a full stomach. But not so long ago those were the real problems and there were countless empty and growling stomachs.

"As a member of the Democratic Party, I am more than glad to do anything possible to prevent soup lines, 10 cent wheat, 5 cent cotton, 2 cent hogs, 5 cent cattle, sheriff sales, closed banks, and the hopeless people adrift everywhere. As Senator Barkley said, 'When the Democrats took over 16 years ago, even the spiders were so weak from starvation they could not weave a cobweb.'"

Springlake Wolverines Defeat Chieftians 7 To 0

In one of their best played games of the season, the Chieftians of the Springlake Wolverines lost to the Springlake Wolverines by the score of 7-0 here on the Chieftian Field last Friday night.

This ball game was the kind a person likes to watch, with the outcome in doubt until the last whistle is blown. The Chieftians were leading as far as twenty yard penetrations were concerned until the last two minutes of the game. However, in the last two minutes, the Wolverines' passing attack began to click, and with the ball on Friona's 40-yard line, a completed pass put them down on Friona's 19-yard line. The telling blow came when Quarterback Barlow of the Wolverines completed a pass to Left end Skinner for a touchdown on the next play. Clayton scored the extra point.

In winning two and losing two Conference games the Chieftians earned 33 points, while holding their opponents to 45.

Tonight at 8 o'clock the Chieftians will meet Whittarral on the Chieftian Field. Whittarral won the District Championship last year, but they have not been doing so well this year so far.

Educational Building Is Now Completed

Recently completed on the Baptist grounds is an attractive new educational building.

Facilities in the church building and old educational building for growing classes have long been inadequate. Recent additions to the church and Sunday School rolls since the Fall Revival have made it necessary to add to the present facilities as a temporary measure until the new, permanent building can be begun and completed. A heating system was installed this week.

A special program and drive is being made Sunday to raise funds for the new permanent (Continued on Page 4)

Funeral Rites For Mrs. R. T. Dodson Held Here Sunday

Many gifts are to be given away Saturday night at the Parent-Teachers Association Hallowe'en Carnival.

Hallowe'en booths of every description will be on hand for your entertainment.

A nursery will be in operation for mothers who wish to leave their children in capable hands.

Every year the P. T. A. has sponsored the carnival for the purpose of raising funds for school improvement projects. The organization has worked hard every year in making the carnival a success and all efforts have been redoubled this year.

On Saturday a drawing will be held. Prizes are on display in down town store windows and tickets may be purchased downtown or from Mrs. Gee, Mrs. Clements, Mrs. Sloan Osborn, Mrs. Dixon, Mrs. Bainum, the faculty members and others; or you may call Mr. Hinds at school and some member will deliver you as many tickets as you like.

List of Gifts

Gifts to be given away include: A home freezer by the P.T.A. candy from Friona Cafe, feed from Friona Wheat Growers, blanket from Foster's Dry Goods, alarm clock from Allen's Jewelry, hair shampoo at Waneta's Beauty Shop, oil shampoo set and manieure at Vogue Beauty Shop, box of candy from City

Hallowe'en Booths Of Every Description To Be Featured At Annual Friona P. T. A. Event

Drug, vase from Ben Franklin Store, pair of Justin Shoes from Ben Franklin Store.

Automobile radio from Reeve Chevrolet Co., electric broiler from Plains Hardware, merchandise from O. F. & O., flashlight from G. S. Looper, cake from Friona Bakery, bathroom heater from Blanton Butane, Wildroot Creme Oil from Jack's Barber Shop, \$2 in trade at Bethel Hicks, five adult tickets to Regal Theatre.

Bathroom heater from Prichard Furniture, two sacks of feed from Friona Poultry & Eggs, wax paint cleaner and gallon of enamel from Friona Lumber Co., sack of feed from Farmer's Produce, electric coffee pot from White's Auto Store, combination waffle iron and toaster from Welch Auto Supply, 10 pounds of sugar and three pounds of shortening from Cashway Grocery.

Ten pound sack of Gold Medal flour from White's Grocery, \$5 worth frozen food and gallon of Hershey chocolate syrup from Friona Locker, two dozzits, half gallon Bruce floor cleaner and wax from Rockwell Bros. Lumber Co., shampoo from Taylor's Barber Shop, electric perculator from Friona State Bank, a year's subscription to the Friona Star or 100 calling cards, Friona cook-shop, box of candy from City

Texas State Fair Breaks All Attendance Records In U. S.

All records for attendance at state fairs in the United States were broken Sunday, Oct. 24, on the final day of the 1948 State Fair of Texas.

Last visitor through the gates brought the total for the sixteen days to 1,892,327, an increase of 128,406 over the all-time record of last year, despite the declines generally shown by other state fairs over the nation this year.

Climaxing the big show was the Sunday performance of 2,000 high school musicians in the Cotton Bowl under the direction of Ralph E. Rusch, head of the musical education department of the University of Southern California.

Adding brilliance to the occasion with startling exhibitions of complicated maneuvers were three famous high school marching aggregations, the Flaming Flashes from Greenville, and the Gladewater and White Oak High School bands.

While crowds at the Fair this year were mostly from the

Southwest, every state in the Union was represented.

Visitors saw what was generally acclaimed the outstanding exposition of all times in Texas. They participated in the largest gathering of rural youth in history. They received \$62,291 in livestock premiums. They beheld history making shows in agriculture, industry, the women's division, sports and amusements.

Large delegations of fair executives from other areas were on hand to study the operation of the Texas fair. Among these was L. B. Harring Jr., manager of the Mid-South Fair at Memphis Tenn., whose comment that "there is no comparison between this fair and any other fair on the North American continent" was fairly typical.

Even before the big exposition finally closed on Sunday, plans were being formulated by directors and officials to make the Fair next year still bigger and better, using as a starting point their experience this year with the most popular state fair the country has seen to date.

Friona Boy Elected To Alpha Chi Chapter

CANYON—Fifteen juniors were elected to Alpha Chi membership at West Texas State College this fall. Five members were promoted to senior membership in the national honorary scholastic fraternity.

New members who were initiated at Cousins Hall this week were: Mary Alice Foster, Way-side; Lorraine Davidson and Joyce Crowley, Canyon; Jackie Wright, Hereford; Jean McManigal, Happy; Sue Smith McMahon, Clarendon; Lyle Green, Cedar Springs, Mich.; Charles Hall and Frances Lynn Townes, Amarillo; Homer Paul, Friona; Herschel Allen, Plainview; Frances Findley, Quannah; Mary E. Phillips, Shamrock; Charles Younger, Maple and Evelyn Ridley, Conlen.

W. A. Foster Returns From Market At Dallas

W. A. Foster returned home Tuesday afternoon from a trip to the Dallas Market.

Mr. Foster reports that his trip was very pleasant and while there saw many interesting sights at the Dallas State Fair.

Among the most impressive to him were the Jimmy Durante Program, the East Texas-West Texas football game and the S. M. U. -Santa Clara Football game.

He was accompanied home by his brother-in-law and family, John W. Lamb, of Waco. They plan to visit for a few days here with family and friends.

Margaret Lynn Taylor returned home with the McKinneys to spend about two weeks.

Asks All Voters To Vote (Continued on page 4)



Champion Junior Dairy Show Shorthorn



Hereboet Howell of Hereford shows his prize winning shorthorn at the 1948 State Fair of Texas Livestock Show, Dallas.

200 Homes Could Have Been Built From Dwelling Fire Loss In 8 Months

AUSTIN—Two hundred \$10,000 homes could have been built from the loss of dwelling fires in Texas from January through August.

Western U. S. Has Highest Accident Rate

CHICAGO—Horace Greeley might have added a safety note to "take it easy" when he advised young men to go west. For the young men who took his advice—and those who have followed them—have given the western United States the highest accidental death rate in the country.

The 1948 edition of "Accident Facts," statistical yearbook of the National Safety Council, points out that the accidental death rate per 100,000 population averaged 102 in the Mountain states and 82 in the Pacific states in 1947. The lowest average rate was the 60 of the North Atlantic states; followed by the North Central states with an average rate of 69.

The accidental 1947 death rate for the entire United States was 69.7.

The local hospital states that the reports from the chest X-rays taken here recently were very good with only two positive tuberculosis cases out of 617 people who were X-rayed.

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 8:15-8:30—Popular Music
 8:30-8:45—Music
 8:45-9:00—Morning Devotion (Monday thru Friday)
 9:00-9:15—Mainly for Women
 9:15-9:30—Birthday and Anniversary Club
 9:30-9:45—It's Dancetime
 9:45-10:00—Treasure Chest
 10:00-10:15—U. P. News
 10:20-10:30—Music
 10:30-10:45—Market Report
 10:45-11:00—Announcer's Choice
 11:00-11:15—Morning Melodies
 11:15-11:30—Hymns of All Churches
 11:30-11:45—Music
 11:45-12:00—Sons of the Pioneers
 12:00-12:15—Music
 12:15-12:30—"Reading Post"
 12:30-12:45—U. P. News
 12:45-1:00—Western Roundup
 1:00-1:15—Just Relax—Music
 1:15-1:45—Popular Tunes of Today
 1:45-3:00—Western Hit Parade
 3:00-3:15—U. P. News
 3:15-3:30—Music
 3:30-4:00—Echoes of the Opera
 4:00-5:00—The 800 Club
 5:00-5:15—Music
 5:15-5:30—Texas Today
 5:30-5:45—Sports
 5:45-6:00—Town Topics
 6:00-6:15—U. P. News

Programs differ slightly on Sunday. Religious broadcasts at 9:15 and 11 A. M. and 1:30 P. M. News on Sunday at 9 a. m., 12:30 and 3 o'clock. Local talent programs on

West Texas C of C Urges Support Of Amendments

ABILENE—Support of each of the Constitutional Amendments to be voted on at the general election Nov. 2, is recommended by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The organization points out that the amendments are non-political in nature and "will enhance the efficiency and economy of our government."

Two of the amendments have been on the agenda of WTCC for many years and their passage is stressed by Manager D. A. Bandeen. First of these is SJR 2, which occupies second place on the ballot, calling for the redistricting of Texas. This amendment provides that the legislature shall redistrict after each decennial. If this is not done, then an automatic board is set up, and if this board fails to function, it can be mandamused by the supreme court.

"Although West Texas stands to lose some votes in redistricting, there is at present an unbalance in our legislative redistricting which will be corrected," Bandeen said.

The organization also strongly recommends passage of HJR 24, which is No. 7, on the ballot and provides for abolishing the state ad valorem tax and enables counties to levy the tax for local revenue purposes. The measure would permit the counties, which do not at present receive tax remissions, to have the 30 cents for flood control and farm-to-market road purposes.

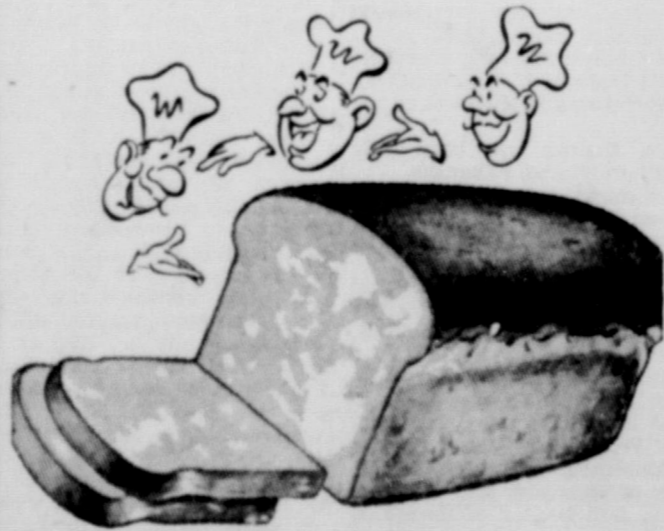
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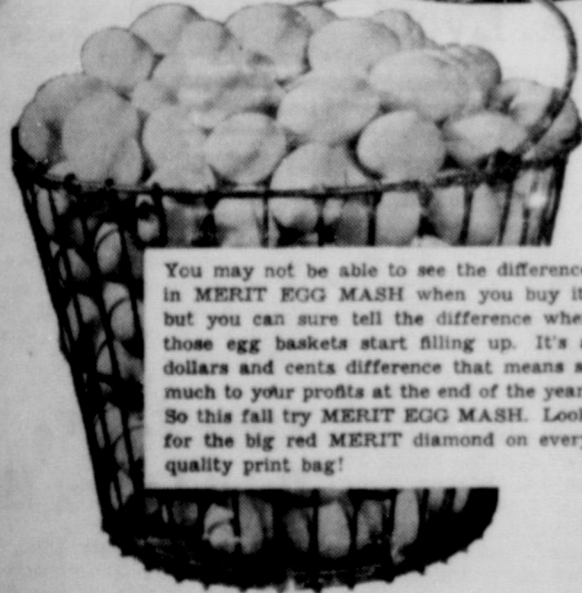
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Decrease In Santa Fe Carloadings Continues

Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending October 23, were 29,125 compared with 31,574 for same week in 1947.

Cars received from connections totaled 14,674 compared with 12,432 for same week in 1947.

Total cars moved were 43,799 compared with 44,206 for same week in 1947.

Santa Fe handled a total of 42,604 cars in preceding week of this year.

A check on air doors and windows in the house will keep the cold air out and the warm air in this winter. Heat leakage costs money and wastes fuel. Loose window panes may be re-glazed, but cracks around the outside of door and window frames need caulking after being packed with oakum or jute.

Vote AGAINST LYNDON JOHNSON Common Honesty.

What It Means: Voting 'Bloccs' In The United States

By ROBERT GEIGER
WASHINGTON, (AP) — How powerful are voting "bloccs" in the United States?

First of all, what is a blocc? Simply stated, it is a group of citizens with strong common interests. The United States has three such major groups, and many lesser ones. They are the veterans, now numbering about 19,000,000; about 16,000,000 farm people of voting age; and about 50,000,000 in the non-labor force, about 16,000,000 belonging to the labor unions.

These total around 85,000,000, so there is obviously much overlapping. There are only an estimated 95,000,000 people of voting age in the U. S. all told.

If a blocc, or a great majority of its members, should decide to vote for the same candidate, it could hold the balance of power in an election. The reason is that in recent presidential elections only slightly more than half of the eligible voters have cast a ballot.

Never Known To Happen

But blocc voting has never been known to happen. The way it works out, the candidate's job is to try and settle each issue to the satisfaction of each blocc, without antagonizing other bloccs, or to convince the majority of voters his proposed solution to a key issue is the best one possible for the country as a whole.

An instance right now is the farm price support program. Both parties came out for support, but some organizations have been claiming supporters are partly responsible for high food prices.

If voters considered this one issue the most important of the campaign, it could have aligned two powerful groups, the farmers and the city people, into voting bloccs.

Other important issues

But there are other important issues, like the U. S. foreign policy and the housing shortage.

So the big bloccs broke down. There are bloccs within bloccs. Some housewives, irritated by high prices and inflation, nevertheless believe the foreign situation more important. And so they are considering all the issues and deciding which candidate has the best solution for all of them.

So it goes with all bloccs when many important issues are up. A voter may simply be a life-long member of a political party, willing to vote a party ticket regardless of whether he agrees with the proposed party solution for all issues. Or he may be both a farmer and a business-man, or a farmer and a veteran. If an issue places both these interests in conflict, he has to make a choice.

Racial and religious issues also have been important in the past.

Workers Endorse Candidate

Neither the CIO nor the AFL as organizations, has endorsed a presidential candidate. But some officials of each organization have come out for one or the other. One group of workers has endorsed one candidate; another group another. So the labor blocc has been divided. Even so, it is difficult to say how far individual union member will follow the sentiments of his leaders.

Nobody knows exactly how strongly the bloccs have held together in past elections, because ballots are secrets. Public opinion polls have attempted to get the answer.

There is one blocc toward which the politicians are beginning to cock a more attentive ear, however. That's the feminine blocc. Women are becoming better educated. They are doing more and more of their own thinking. But they are in business, or they are veterans, or they are housewives. If some politician could contrive to weld them into one solid voting group he would have an election clincher. Because women now outnumber the men in the United States. The latest census estimate is that there are about 1,669,000 more women of voting age than men.

Radical Changes Seen in Newest Car



THE '49 NASH AMBASSADOR and '600' automobiles are the first of the industry's postwar cars with all four wheels totally enclosed. Without sacrificing road clearance, the new, larger cars are lower than previous models, standing 62 inches high compared to 68 inches for 1948 models. "Super-lounge" interiors of both cars are 9 feet 4 inches in length. The front seat has 5 feet 3 inches of "elbow room," and the rear seat width is 5 feet 1 inch. As shown at right, the instrument panel has been relocated directly in front of the driver and housed in a single grouping, identified as the "Uniscope," mounted on the steering column. Full-length twin convertible beds, shown in a cutaway view above, are an outstanding new development available in 2-and-4-door sedan models. The beds are quickly made up to provide a single bed en route or a double bed when the car is not in motion. Among many other features is a new one-piece curved safety glass windshield.

Cost Of Accidents Up Along With Beefsteak

CHICAGO—The cost of an accident has gone up, along with beefsteak and butter.

The 1948 edition of "Accident Facts," statistical yearbook of the National Safety Council, shows that the total cost of accidents in America in 1947 was \$7,100,000,000 as against \$6,400,000,000 in 1946.

This includes accidental injuries that cost \$4,100,000,000 in lost wages, medical expenses and insurance, property damage in motor vehicle accidents of \$1,100,000,000; fire losses of \$645,000,000 and other costs of occupational accidents that totaled \$1,300,000,000.

The average cost per injury in the United States last year was \$663.55. This is \$54.04 more than the average injury cost the year before.

COTTON QUIZ

HOW MANY DRESSES CAN BE MADE FROM ONE BALE OF COTTON?

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Homecoming To Attract 7,000 Ex-Tech Students

LUBBOCK—Seven thousand ex-students of Texas Technological college are expected to begin arriving on the campus next Friday for the annual Homecoming, Oct. 30.

A full day of activity honoring alumni and former students begins in the morning with open house by the different departments and a number of receptions. A mammoth parade at 11 a. m. will highlight the morning festivities.

Luncheon for exes, their wives or husbands, is to be served in the gymnasium. The Lubbock Bus company and Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma bus company are joint hosts for the luncheon.

Football at 2 p. m. is the main event of the day when Texas Tech Red Raiders meet the Rice Owls. Thus far, 18,500 tickets have been sold for the game. Some 4,500 were sold to ex-students, and 2,000 are reserved for exes who will arrive Saturday.

An after-game dance for the students and exes will be held in the gymnasium.

Dairy farmers are losing 50 million dollars worth of milk a year due to brucellosis. That doesn't count nearly two hundred thousand calves that would have made about five million dollars worth of veal.

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Ticklers

By George



"How touching! Something appropriate for Halloween, I presume."

Platform for President Elect



As the presidential election campaigns swing into their last lap, workers begin building the platform structure on the Capitol steps in Washington for inauguration ceremonies on Jan. 20.



Governor Deauford Jester looks over a copy of the newspaper. The first of three issues of the magazine to be devoted wholly to Texas. Scores of articles and photographs will give Texas the most extensive treatment ever accorded any state by a national magazine.

Test New Twin-Jet Carrier Plane



Latest entry in the all-jet field is this Douglas XF3D-1 Skyhawk, a twin-jet carrier-based all-weather plane currently undergoing flight tests at Air Force Test Center at Muroc, Calif. It is expected to be one of the most versatile of jet aircraft, capable of carrying out both fighter and bomber missions.

New Look for Fire Fighters



Three volunteers advance on a flaming pit fired by 200 gallons of gasoline at the Wright-Patterson Air Force Base at Dayton, O., to test various types of fire-fighting clothing. The new lightweight aluminum foil suit at left was found to give the most comfort and protection. Designed by the Air Materiel Command's Aero-Medical Laboratory, it reflects the heat and helps the wearer retain a relatively low body temperature.

Hallowe'en

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Lovett's first grade room, bake sale and fish pond in charge of Mrs. Caffey's second grade room, movies of the first grade, FFA bingo party, food sale in cafeteria by FHA, baseball throw in the gym and confetti sale by the F-TA and a nursery in the room north of the auditorium where there will be concessions of faterest to the little folk.

New Look

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is a Soil Conservation Service set up in this County that we will have them in the north-west room which is large and will make a nice office.

This is the time for new memberships. There is now 95 members.

There will be a Legion meeting Monday night.

Officers are: Post Commander, Joe Brummett, Vice Commander, Joe Wilson, Adjutant, Roy Wilson, Finance Officer, S. T. Thornton, Sergeant-at-arms, Bud Crump, Service Officer, Foister Rector, and Historian, Charles Allen.

Panhandle

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"Surely most of us throughout the Southwest realize that the quickest way to get an economic sledge hammer blow squarely between the eyes is to permit another Republican Administration to get into control.

We have an election on November 2, and I hope that every qualified voter will go to the polls. The privilege of voting is the most precious in our democratic form of government. And it is the most important. Democracy can never be hurt, no matter how much Communists and other "imiles" try to bore in, so long as the people inform themselves and participate fully in public affairs."

Educational

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building the construction of which will be begun in the very near future.

The ladies who keep the nursery during the worship services were pleased with the installation of a sound system enabling them to hear the services while they tend the kiddies.

Charlie Turner donated a radio and Friona's local radio service man, Louie Longmire, assembled and installed the system in a very efficient manner.

Every effort is being made to give those who wish to attend the services of the church comfort and conveniences commensurate with a worshipful attitude in spite of the present crowded conditions.

Nearly 2,000 planetoids or tiny planets have been catalogued by astronomers.



Soviet UN delegate Andrei Vishinsky takes time out from a Security Council session in Paris to pose—and smile—for photographers.



Mt. Washington, N. H., was the scene of experiments by men of the Navy's Bureau of Aeronautics during which jet engine icing tests were conducted. Photo shows snow and ice covering a securing cable and a building in which the scientists worked. (Official Navy Photograph)



MY BIG PROBLEM, GENTLEMEN - IS HOW TO TURN IN MY WIFE'S USED FAT AND KEEP THE CASH, THE MEAT DEALER PAYS!

Uniform Building Code To Make Public Buildings Fire Safe

AUSTIN—It would take just one simple item to make public buildings fire safe in construction, declared Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner. Advocating a uniform building code, rigidly enforced, for Texas, Hall said tremendous losses of

occurred in the New London school disaster, the Winecoff and LaSalle Hotel fires, Cocanut Grove night club fire and Iroquois theatre fires.

Hall pointed out that 50 per cent of the large money loss fires

life could be prevented such as have been from inferior construction.

"An adequate and reasonable building code would take much study, time and effort, but in the meantime, each Texas town and city not having it, should adopt legislation dealing with the correction of deficiencies in existing buildings and sound rules for keeping future buildings fire safe," the Commissioner urged.

A good building code would control combustible interiors as well as requiring fire resistive exteriors for buildings, Hall said. Wood, fabrics and other combustible material used for interior decoration to an unsafe extent, would be eliminated. Also inflammable temporary decorations, such as paper strung across ceilings in night clubs, would not be permitted.

A code would require an adequate number of proper exits. Also vertical openings such as elevator shafts and stairways would be enclosed so that fire could not spread from floor to floor through them, an especially fatal hazard in hotels.

Such control would also provide regulations regarding the proper installation and maintenance of heating and electrical systems and appliances.

Special hazards, such as a projection booth in a theatre, a boiler room in a school, a storage room for explosive liquids in a plant, would be isolated by special walls and fire doors.

Approved fire doors and wired glass windows would keep a building safe from catching fire from burning exposing buildings.

Hall believes, "these provisions and many others properly enforced would insure Texans that no more wholesale slaughter would be made of its people by fire."

Meet the Grand Champ



This glamorous bovine, Col. Raleigh Goldust, is a two-time winner. She was picked grand champion of the All-American Junior Jersey Show in Columbus, O., and also awarded a first-prize blue ribbon in the 5-year-old class competition. Posing with the colonel is Peggy Mae Sample, 13, of Rutherford, Tenn.

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SOCIETY

Women's Society Observes Annual Week Of Prayer

The Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday in an all-day session in observance of their annual week of Prayer and Self-Denial.

The Quiet Day Service was directed by the Secretary of Spiritual Life Cultivation, Mrs. W. H. Ford, with Mrs. Hadley Reeve, assisted by Mrs. C. C. Hardaway in charge of the music. The entire program was centered around direct meditations with long periods of silence for prayer and Bible reading.

The observance continues throughout this week with a daily schedule of prayer planned and arranged for participation by all Methodist Women across the world.

It will be climaxed here Sunday evening with a worship service at the church, at which time the Self-Denial offering for the five different home and foreign mission projects will be consecrated.

Family Gathering And Dinner Held At Home Of Floyd Schlenker

The Floyd Schlenker home was the scene of a family gathering and dinner Sunday.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schlenker, the Carl Schlenkers and daughter, Mrs. Elmo Dean and daughters, the Glenn Reeves and sons, the Hadley Reeves and family, and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Reeve, all of Friona.

Out-of-town guests were: the Harlon O'Rears and family of Amarillo, Miss Mary Reeve of Pampa, the Charlie Lovelaces and sons of Farwell and the Lloyd Humes and daughter of Mt. Shasta, California, in whose honor the dinner was given. Mrs. Hume is the former Ruth Reeve, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Reeve.

Mrs. John T. Hartwell of Bovina called in the afternoon.

Black Social Club Holds Meeting At Smith Home

The Black Social and Study Club met with Mrs. W. E. Smith Thursday evening, October 21. A program was given by Mrs. Fangman on storing and care of dallas bulbs for winter.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Madames Pearl McKean, Beula Mae Deaton, Mrs. Fangman, Mildred Barnett, Maxine Price, Anna Mae Hays, John Bengier and C. D. Allmon.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. D. Allmon on Thursday, November 4.

Hallowe'en Dance Is Held By Local Club

The "Chase the Squirrel" dance club was entertained Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dickson and Mr. and Mrs. Cayce Dunn with a costumed Hallowe'en dance.

The club house was decorated in keeping with the Hallowe'en season.

The club will have regular practice on Friday, October 29, at the Legion Hall. It will be directly after the football game.

Rainbow, DeMolay Groups Hold Party

Last Saturday night the Rainbow Girls, De Molay Boys and their advisors were entertained with a party at the Friona Legion Hall.

The group was entertained with party games, group singing and dancing.

Refreshments of popcorn balls, apples, and pop were served by the sponsors. The hall was decorated in Hallowe'en Motif. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flippen.

Birthday Dinner Honors Mrs. Berry And Mrs. Parker

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Parker gave a birthday dinner in honor of their mothers, Mrs. Ada Parker and Mrs. Nora Berry, Mrs. Parker was 75 years of age on Oct. 20 and Mrs. Berry was 73 years of age on the 24th.

The house was decorated with all flowers. The table was centered with birthday cake.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Noel Berry and children of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Berry and family and Ray Campbell of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berry, Mrs. Ira Oldaker and Marilyn Ann of Texhoma, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Berry and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Billinsley and family of Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. James Berry of Clovis, New Mexico; Mrs. Ida E. McSpadden of Lubbock; Mrs. Clarence Ashcroft and Betty Zon, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Parker, all of Friona; and the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Parker and family.

Other guests who called in the afternoon were Mrs. Ralph Braddy of Leonard, Texas, and Mrs. Henry Lewis and Don Edwin.

To beavers go the distinction of having played a greater part in the exploration of America than any other animal. So valuable were their pelts that trappers pushed faster and further than anyone else, paving the way for frontiersmen and settlers.

What happens when he reaches here?



THE YEARS GO BY so quickly, you can hardly believe it! It seems only yesterday he was toddling—and look at him now!

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For sale: 1 1936 Model Pickup.

For sale: 1 1941 U. T. U. M. tractor with 4-row equipment.

For sale: 1 1941 Plymouth Special Deluxe with radio and heater; in good condition.

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For sale or rent: Concrete mixers, all sizes; Wheelbarrows. Power Saw; Compressor and Air Tools. TOM W. CARRIER EQUIPMENT CO., INC., Amarillo Texas. Phone 2-6578.

For sale: One used Werner Piano. Must be seen to be appreciated. Will sell cheap enough. Mrs. G. H. Brock. 9-2tp

Wanted: To buy Burlap Sacks. Friona Wheat Growers, Inc. 9-tfc

For sale: 2 corner lots, in Friona. East front, with barn suitable for 4 to 6 thousand bushels, grain storage. Needs slight repairing. \$1500.00 Fores. W. Osborn. 6-tfc

For sale: One L-shaped chicken house. Small part, 14 x 20. Large part, 18 x 36. Also four lots in Friona. E. S. White. 10-tfc

For sale: 80 acres land, Northwest Ark. \$5 an acre. \$5, cash. \$5 a month for balance. Box 203, Friona. 14-6p

Lost: One set of Cable Blocks for winch truck. Reward, O. C. Jones. 14-2p

Storage space by the month. Monroe White. 15-2te

Wanted: Junk radiators and batteries; radiators 6 cents lb.; batteries \$3.00. Pat's Radiator Shop. 15-tfc

LOST: Small Gold wrist watch with small gold band at Cunningham's Laundry on Thursday, Oct. 21. Reward for its return. Mrs. W. J. Nazworth. 15-2tp

For sale: Stationary or moving real estate. M. A. Crum, Friona. ???

For sale: One 1939 GMC truck 4-4 ton, 10 ply tires. Good shape—cheap. Elroy Wilson. 15-2t

Fryers for sale: White Rock-battery raised. One dollar each. George McLean 15-1tp

Of Interest To Women

By PEGGY GLEASON
Everyone interested in the theatre has been awaiting Tennessee Williams' new play "Summer and Smoke" with tremendous excitement. Williams, you know, is the young author of the highly successful "Glass Menagerie" and "A Streetcar Named Desire."
We made the trip to Buffalo to attend the tryout performance of "Summer and Smoke" expecting to witness another Williams triumph. Unfortunately, the drama fell far short of expectations.
Like its predecessors, "Summer and Smoke" is a grim play; it depicts the conflict between the physical and the spiritual. A young southern girl of high ideals is tormented by her love for a doctor whose nature is completely lustful. The conflict is never satisfactorily resolved. "Summer and Smoke" ends on a puzzling note as the doctor, suddenly freed of his gross desires,

Owner and Thousand Pound Boar



C. B. Service is shown atop Red Man 1, registered two-year old Duroc Jersey boar, whose weight approximates 1,000 pounds. The animal was purchased 20 months ago from the C. G. Jackson herd at Hart and may be seen at the Service farm five miles east of Hereford on Highway 51. Service also is raising three head of Hereford hogs, developed within the last 10 years from Duroc and Chesterwhite strains. The hogs bear similarity to Hereford cattle, in color, possessing a red body, white face and legs. The farmer plans addition of several more of the Hereford hogs soon.

of Agriculture, will be \$20,600 pounds, 40 percent below the seed prices received by growers currently vary from \$14 to \$16 per hundred pounds.
Crested wheatgrass is forecast at 2,070,000 pounds. It is the second smallest crop in 7 years, and is less than one-fourth as large as the average production in the 1942, 46 period. Prices to growers in commercial areas are ranging from \$19 to \$20 a hundred.

ATTENTION FARMERS:
The Secretary of Commerce has appealed to the Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan to advise farmers of the great need of scrap iron and steel in order to keep steel mills running to capacity to furnish enough steel required for equipment needed for national security, for industry, for farms, and for homes.
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Texas Tech Virtually Assured Of Pantex Plant Acquisition

LUBBOCK — Acquisition of Pantex ordnance plant, 18 miles north east of Amarillo, is virtually assured Texas Technological college by Jan. 1, Pres. D. M. Wiggins is informed by representatives of the War Assets Administration.
Final steps preparatory to delivering the deed to Texas Tech Jan. 1, for the 17,000 acres and 414 buildings comprising the property were completed in a meeting at WAA offices in Grand Prairie recently, attended by President Wiggins and Frank Junell, assistant to the president.

Adding the 17,000 acres of Pantex to the Texas Tech campus, although it is some 133 miles from Lubbock, will make it possible to increase college research, experimentation and teaching in the fields of agriculture and engineering. President Wiggins said.
The college leased in 1947 and 1948 8,500 acres of the plant for wheat poisoning experiments which has been carried on with co-operation of Texas A & M.
A number of other research and laboratory projects have been scheduled to begin as soon as the plant is turned over to the college in January.

Dr. Wiggins said the public housing project operated on the property by Amarillo will continue under the direction of the city of Amarillo as long as it is needed. This project is confined however, to 45 acres of the land.
Tentative plans have been drawn up for disposal of many of the buildings and materials on the grounds, President Wiggins said.
The new territory will be used also to further co-operative research planned by Texas A & M and Texas Tech. Texas A & M received a similar property recently in the Bluebonnet ordnance plant near McGregor.
Texas Tech will accept the deed to the new property with the understanding it is to be re-

County Agricultural Notes

By JOE CAMP
Secretary, Farmer County ACA
We have just been notified by the State Office that Farmer County has an additional \$2,000 to be spent on soil building practices during the 1948 program year. Anyone who wants assistance in a conservation practice, i. e., building terraces, is invited to visit us here at the AAA Office and we will be glad to help you.
Production of bromegrass, and crested wheat both important in conservation, is short this year. The expected crop of bromegrass and all farmers who have participated in the 1948 Agricultural Conservation, or Sugar Programs or the Federal Crop Insurance Programs are eligible to vote in these elections. It might be well for you to be thinking who you want to represent you on these committees for 1949.

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Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction, Monday, November 1st, 1948, the following described personal property, to-wit:

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1—1941 Model Ford Tractor, good condition, with attachments.
1—Two-way Moldboard Plow.
1—Two-bottom Moldboard Plow.
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2—Dirt Slips.
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1—Tandem Disc.
1—Cultivator Attachment.
1—Mower.
1—Grain Box.
1—1948 Model D John Deere Tractor (consignee).
1—1937 IHC Truck with Bed, in good condition (consignee).
1—3 h. p. Fairbanks-Morse Engine with Pump Jack (consignee).
Also Other Machinery Items.

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SHEEP

1—Registered Hampshire Ram.

CATTLE

1—Purebred Hereford Cow, 3 years old.
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1—Shorthorn 4-gal. Durham Milk Cow.
1—Heavy Springer Jersey Milk Cow.

HORSES

1—Shorthorn Heifer Calf, weight about 300 lbs.
1—Jersey Heifer Calf, weight about 400 lbs.
2—Half Durham and Half Whiteface Steer Calves, Weight about 300 lbs. each.
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1—Black Steer Calf, weight about 325 pounds.
1—Jersey Male Calf, 4 months old.

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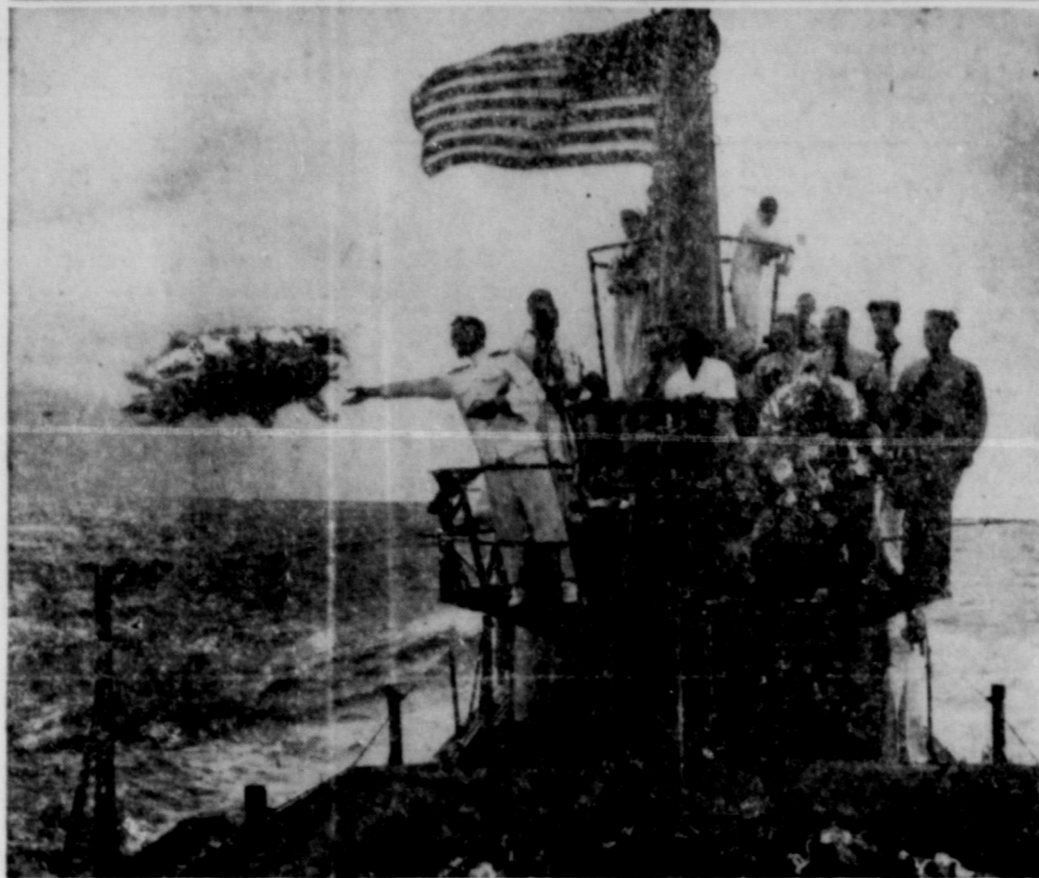
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Officers and men of an American submarine stand solemnly on the bridge of the conning tower as a chaplain casts a memorial wreath upon the waters of the Pacific at the conclusion of a Navy Day memorial ceremony for the men who lost their lives at sea during World War II. The submarine then proceeded further out to sea where the flowers shown packing her forward deck were strewn upon the ocean. (Official Navy Photograph)

Days Of Generous Quart Of Milk For Five Cents Nickel Beer, 'Burgers Have Gone Along With

AUSTIN — (AP) — Remember when you used to put down a nickel and tote home a generous quart of milk in a lard pail? Those good old days are gone for good, along with the nickel movie, the nickel beer, the five-cent hamburger and the five-cent cigar. Texans are now competing for the privilege of putting a quart carton or bottle of grade A pasteurized milk in their market baskets at prices ranging from 22 to 25 cents. Milk is big business now. Man's first food has increased in popularity because of health education and prosperity and supply is hard pressed to keep up with the demand. Where a city's source of supply used to be its

neighboring farms, improved refrigeration and pasteurization methods have spread it out to distant counties and even other states. They call these areas "milk sheds." Unlike water sheds, where gravity guides water down land slopes toward the sea, money makes the milk flow. Bidding for the limited supply has forced prices up and up in Texas. The contest has reached the courts here. Attorney General Price Daniel has charged a number of major big city dairies with price fixing in violation of the state anti-trust laws. The South Texas Milk Producers Association and six Houston dairies have been temporary enjoined in 98th district court here against alleged price fixing practices. In issuing the order which will remain in effect until the case can be tried, Judge Charles O. Betts said: "There is no doubt from a practical standpoint the south Texas producers association is a monopoly in the area where it operates." The association, organized in Harris County under state cooperative marketing laws in 1931, has extended its memberships until it now covers 57 counties in south, east and central Tex.

As in addition to the price injunction, the cooperative also is under court order not to seek memberships outside its present area. Outside of the competitive situation, the outlook for the Texas milk supply this coming winter is dependent upon the weather, like all other farm products. A survey discloses that the prospects are spotty, ranging from poor in drought-stricken areas to good in sections where there are bountiful feed crops.

Breeders To Hold Show In Dec., 1949

A cattle show and sale sponsored by the Registered Hereford Breeders Association will be held in December, 1949, Ezra Norton, president of the association, has announced. The association, re-organized last spring, had originally planned to conduct the show early next year, but at a meeting last week it was decided the animals would be in better shape at the later date, Norton said. More than 60 head of cattle will be ready for the sale, breeders promised at the meeting, and several who were not present said they were grooming animals for the sale.

Sun Princess Elected By Students Of West Texas State College

CANYON—Jean Morgan, comely brunette junior from Quail, was selected as the Sun Princess to represent West Texas State College at the 14th Annual Southwestern Sun Carnival. It will be held in El Paso, Dec. 28 through Jan. 1. Miss Morgan was chosen at a student assembly this week. Other contestants were Wadna Davis, Tulla; Floyd Crawford, Spearman; Pat Sutton, Pampa and Elaine Nelson, Amarillo. They were entered in the contest through petitions signed by 50 students each. The Student Senate will send Miss Morgan to El Paso while the Southwestern Carnival Association will pay her other expenses while in the Border City. The annual celebration will begin with coronation of the Queen followed by a unique pageant presented by the Queen and Court. A Coronation Ball, a night at the El Paso Symphony and two other attractions will round out the four-day festivities.

Woodrow Wilson To Be Honored At S. W. College Homecoming

Woodrow B. Wilson of Hereford is a member of the class of 1938 which will be specially honored in the Homecoming assembly program at Southwest Texas State Teachers College, San Marcos, Saturday. Graduates of '08, '18, '28, and '38 are being honored this year. Since contact has been lost with many of the class members readers knowing addresses of these graduates are asked to contact the Ex-Student's Association of the College, says Dr. J. G. Flowers, president.

Another Letter from
The Bootleg Philosopher



Editor's note: The Bootleg Philosopher probably is taking a small-visioned view of the problem he discusses this week, which is typical of him.

Dear editor: I picked up a copy of the Dallas News which the neighbor flew in over the week-end and took it home to save to start fires with this winter but since supper wasn't ready and I didn't have anything else to do I opened it up and read where an expert has announced that farming is going to be mechanized more and more but that we ain't got nothing to worry about as it won't cause unemployment.

Now I certainly ain't got no objection to mechanizing farms, and any time anybody can invent a machine that'll take work off me, I'm in favor of it. In fact, they can't go too far in this direction for me, a machine that would crank itself up around January 1, plan a crop and prepare the land and plant the seed and cultivate the stuff and harvest it and honk a horn when it passes my front porch in the spring or summer on the way to market, would suit me all right, although there wouldn't be no need in havin' the machine cash the check, I could do that. No use in a man gettin' entirely stale.

But what puzzles me is why the expert has to assure us machinery ain't gonna cause unemployment.

Thunder. That's what a machine's for. If we gonna have more and more machines and still have more and more work, I'd just as soon leave things like they are. What I want is a machine that does more and more work and produces more and more unemployment, for me at least.

As a matter of fact, I ain't never made up my mind about machines yet anyway, which is one reason I ain't got more out here. The other reason is I exhausted my credit. There is some folks who argue the amount of work it takes to make enough money to buy a electric water pump and buy the electricity to run it and put water in your house up to more energy than it would take to just draw your water with a bucket and rope, but I don't know, although if I could find somebody who'd sell me a electric pump on credit, I'd be willin' to test the theory out. I already know how much energy it takes to draw water

by hand. Ain't a day passes my wife don't tell me how hard it is.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Read the Want Ads!

Mr. P. B. Griffith of Cortez, Colorado, former resident here, was in Friona visiting his sons and daughters, Frank, Jim and Tom Griffith, Mrs. Foster Rector, Mrs. Loretta Brookfield, and Mrs. Raymond Adams. Before returning home he plans to visit in East Central Ohio.

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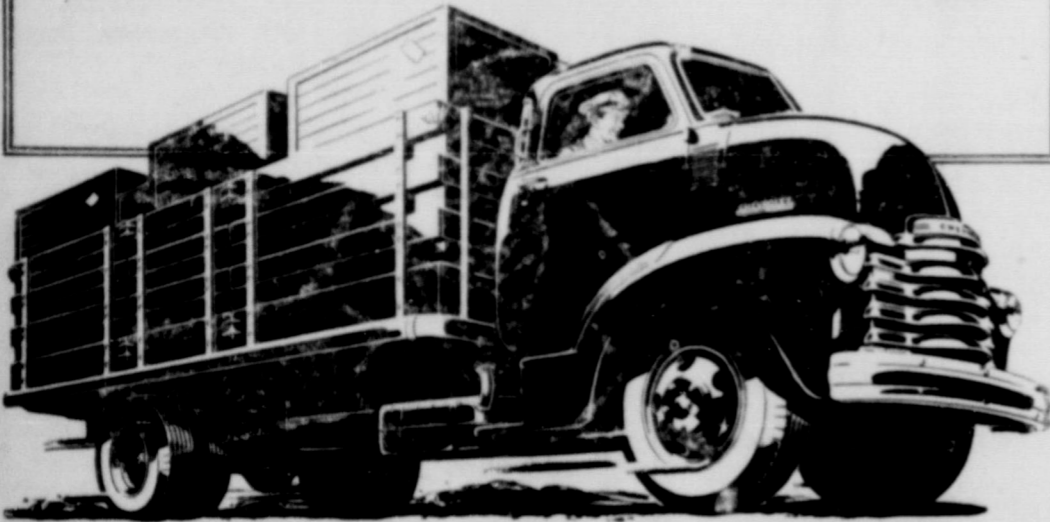
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Three Collegians By A Totem Pole



Pictured above is Sid Davis of Amarillo pointing out part of a totem pole such as are found in Alaska, which he recently visited. With him are two other Wayland College students who made the trip with him, Mori Hiratani of Hawaii and Eulalia Burke of Portales, New Mexico.

Unusual Opportunities For Pioneer Christian Work Found In Alaska

Plainview—Alaska offers unusual opportunities for pioneer Christian work," it was stated today by Sid Davis, Wayland College student from Amarillo who recently visited Alaska.

Others who went with Davis are Mori Hiratani of Hawaii; Flora Paver of Buckeye, Ariz.; Eulalia Burke of Portales, N. M.; and Alfred Cornish of Brownfield, Texas.

Christian work in Alaska has recently come in for considerable discussion by religious leaders in this country. Progress there has been reported by some of the smaller sects and denominational organizations.

"I feel there is need for a distinctive Baptist witness," Davis declared. "Especially is there a need for consecrated Christians, including laymen, to go to Alaska to work, live, and serve in the churches. In many urban centers moral standards are far from what they should be."

This group of students conducted religious services in three Baptist churches of Alaska where former Texans are pastors. A ten-day meeting was held at Fairbanks, where the Rev. Felton H. Griffin, a graduate of Baylor; and a three-day meeting at Government Hill Baptist Church, with the Rev. Odell Lene, formerly of Amarillo.

The meetings had good re-

sults; there were conversions, dedications to full-time Christian service; and decisions to come south a few thousand miles to attend Wayland College. From Plainview to Fairbanks was a car ride of about 4300 miles for the student body.

Among the vivid pictures described by Davis was one of the party's fishing on a crystal clear lake, with snowcapped mountains in the background. Growing by the lakeside were green and brown moss; blue, red and purple berries.

"There are no snakes, no poison ivy nor poison oak in Alaska," he declared.

Davis reported that American Army personnel were numerous in Alaska, a large proportion of them living in or near the big cities.

Other Baptist leaders in Alaska are Dr. B. Clarence Evans, executive secretary of the Alaska Baptist Convention; William A. Petty, editor of The Baptist Messenger, and B. I. Carpenter, New Mexican missionary at Ketchikan.

22 Basketball Games Carded By Texas Tech

LUBBOCK—Twenty-two games and an all-college tournament will be on the 1948-49 basketball schedule of Texas Technological college, Coach Polk Robison has announced. Eleven of the games will be on the home floor.

Tech this season must limit attendance for home games to students, except for a contest Dec. 22 with Marshall college of Huntington, W. Va., which has been booked especially to permit the public to see the Raiders play.

Tech will return to the All-College tournament in Oklahoma City Dec. 27-29, after a few years absence.

The schedule announced by Coach Robison includes:

- Nov. 30 McMurry at Lubbock, staff, at Lubbock.
- Dec. 17 Arizona State, Tempe, at Lubbock.
- Dec. 18 North Texas at Lubbock.
- Dec. 22 Marshall College at Lubbock.
- Dec. 27-29 All College Tournament, Oklahoma City.
- Jan. 6 Texas Mines at El Paso.
- Jan. 7 New Mexico A & M at Las Cruces.
- Jan. 8 New Mexico at Albuquerque.
- Jan. 11 Texas Mines at Lubbock.
- Jan. 14 West Texas at Canyon.
- Jan. 28 Hardin-Simmons at Lubbock.
- Jan. 31 Arizona State at Flagstaff.
- Feb. 1 Arizona State at Tempe.
- Feb. 2 Arizona University at Tucson.
- Feb. 11 Arizona at Lubbock.
- Feb. 15 New Mexico A & M at Lubbock.
- Feb. 18 New Mexico at Lubbock.
- Feb. 23 West Texas at Lubbock.
- Mar. 3 Hardin-Simmons at Lubbock.
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Summerfield Study Club To Sponsor Bingo Carnival Saturday Night, Oct. 30

Summerfield Study Club met at the home of Mrs. K. W. Neill Thursday afternoon with Mrs. B. E. Roberson as co-hostess. During the business session plans were made for the Bingo Carnival to be sponsored Saturday night at the Summerfield School house.

Mrs. Charles Noland gave a federation report and Mrs. Bess Werner, a guest speaker from Hereford, talked on "The United Nations Organization." She said in part, "The U. N. is an organization of sovereign states which have agreed to join their efforts in order to maintain international peace, to cooperate on the solution of economic, social and cultural problems of international importance, and to promote human rights for all without distinction as to race, sex, language or religion."

Mrs. Ray Johnson discussed "The Palestine Situation," saying "It would be difficult to find a more baffling issue, even in the modern complex or international relations, than the Palestine question. The discussion in the Security Council and the referring of the whole question to the Great Powers have not strengthened the moral authority of the U. N. or the faith in the political foresight and wisdom of the United States which led the majority to the decision on November 29, 1947 to partition Palestine."

After the program refreshments were served to Mesdames C. R. Walser, Ray Johnson, L. H. Lookingbill, Glen Olson, Ivan Black, Britt Clark, Earl Lance, Lee Curry, J. B. Noland, Jim Clark, Guy Walser, Charles Noland, Walk Boston, Bess Werner and the hostesses.

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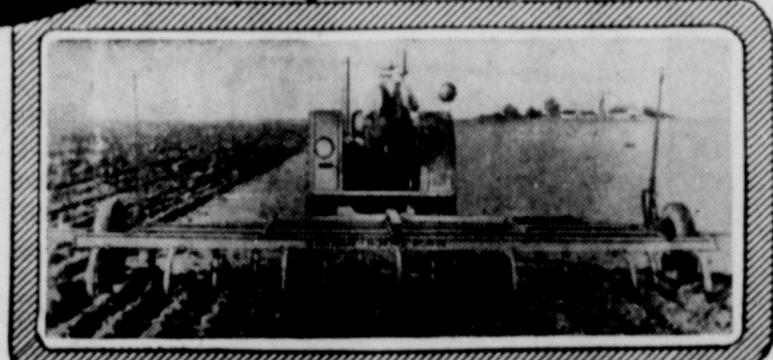
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Buyers From 15 States Attend Sale At Mill Iron

Cattle buyers from 15 states arrived in Estelina Sunday for Mill Iron ranch hoping to be lucky enough to buy some of the 250 young bulls which were to be sold in the unusual sale.

The first stage of the buying began Sunday night when the buyers gathered in the Childress Hotel in Childress, and by contract drew lots for their selection of animals. Each man contracted to buy so many bulls and then drew lots to correspond with the contract, at one set price.

General Manager Polly O'Neal, of Wellington explained how the sale is conducted:

"If a buyer wants only one calf and draws number 20, he will be the twentieth man to pick his animal from the entire herd."

"If he wants three bulls, he will draw three times," O'Neal continued. "Should he draw 10, 24, and 200, that is the order in which he will make his selections."

In order to be eligible to participate in selection and buying of the animals, a buyer must be present for the drawing in Childress.

The novel method of distributing the Mill Iron calf crop has been followed for several years, according to the wishes of Lafayette M. Hughes, owner. Purpose is to make quality bulls available to commercial cattlemen at reasonable prices.

The 250 calves sold Monday were picked from a herd of 350, which was the largest number ever of calves by the ranch and represents all that will be sold from there this year.

Largest buyer was the Sears Roebuck Foundation contracting 85 calves for foundation use in livestock improvement program among future farmers.

Any interested person could attend the sale since it was open to the public. A barbecue was held at noon as one of the get-together features for the cattlemen.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilmer of Duncan, Oklahoma are visiting in the C. A. Guinn home. Mr. Gilmer is Mrs. Guinn's brother.

Mrs. Jim Guinn and daughters, and Mrs. Guinn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Horton of Bovina, visited relatives in Marlow, Oklahoma over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davis have a new son named David Royce. He was born on the 22nd of October. His weight at birth was eight pounds and two ounces.

Mrs. Leroy Davidson and John Westfall of Santa Fe, New Mexico visited in the O. L. Parker home the past week. They are Mrs. Parker's cousin and uncle.

Mrs. Rex Marshall and Peggy Dell, and Mrs. Henry Scott accompanied their sons, Rex Jr., and Robert to Clovis Friday morning where the boys volunteered and enlisted in the U. S. Army. They left for Roswell for their physical.

Mrs. Ralph Braddy of Leonard, Texas arrived here on Thursday the 21st for a visit with her brother, Mr. Henry Lewis and family. She returned home this Thursday.

The Todds of Stillwater, Oklahoma and the Oscar Pops were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boatman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flippin, Mr. and Mrs. Cayce Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reeve drove to Amarillo Friday night to attend the Annual Square Dance Contest.

The United Penecostal Church Revival is still in progress with good attendance. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Crume, of Farwell, visited Monday evening in the home of his brother and family, Vance Crume.

Elroy Wilson, Ed Massey and E. L. Fairchild returned home Thursday from a week's hunting trip at Delores, Colorado. All three were successful in bagging a deer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Anthony were the host and hostess at a luncheon which they gave at the club house on Sunday afternoon. The club house was decorated in the Halloween theme. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Vance Crume, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Love, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Rushing, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bass, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Osborn, and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Vestal.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Poindexter are the parents of a baby boy named Hal Craig. He was born October 22 at the Parmer County Community Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and 15 ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Conway and children, Ricky and Carlo, returned by plane to their home in Houston Wednesday. They have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Lange.

The City Commission has ordered a flashing caution signal which will be erected on the intersection of U. S. Highway 60 and Main Street. The exact date of erection is not known but it will be in the near future. The Commission hopes this will help prevent so many "near" accidents at this dangerous crossing of the highway and the farm-to-market road.

J. W. White left Monday afternoon for Rockwood, Illinois to attend the funeral of a brother-in-law. He was accompanied from Amarillo by Mr. and Mrs. Logan Simpson.

The regular meeting of the Bovina Chapter of the O. E. S. was held in the lodge hall at Bovina October 21. It was "Friendship Night" and chapters from most of the nearby towns were represented, including Hereford, Vega, Muleshoe, Olton, Littlefield, Sudan, Earth, Amarillo, Canyon and Plainview. At the close of the meeting a social hour was held in the dining hall, with each chapter furnishing some part of the entertainment.

Mrs. Winnie Dunn, Worthy Matron of the Bovina Chapter of the O. E. S. is attending the Grand Chapter at Fort Worth this week. She was accompanied by Mrs. Opal Buchanan of Bovina, Mrs. Willie Mae Ross of Bovina and Mrs. Lura Rundell of Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks of near Hereford spent the day visiting in the home of L. D. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Cicle Coker moved into their new home Sunday, which they recently purchased from Mr. White.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Todd of Stillwater, Oklahoma, former residents here, were back visiting their many friends this week. Mrs. Todd dropped in at the Friona Star office and renewed their subscription to the paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reeve and sons had as their supper guests Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hume and small daughter, Diana. Mrs. Hume is Mr. Reeve's sister.

Last Tuesday night there was a called meeting of Parwell Lodge no. 977 AF and AM located at Bovina. Dimmitt conferred an E. A. Degree on a candidate. Refreshments of coffee and cake were served in the dining room after the lodge meeting. The members attending this meeting from Friona were Charley Bainum, Cayce Dunn, Elroy Wilson, Jim Guinn and Newt Gore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Taylor and Peggy Sue spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stork of Amarillo. Mrs. Stork is Mr. and Mrs. Taylor's daughter.

Mrs. Hugh Womack, former telephone operator here, died of a stroke early Friday morning, at the age of fifty years. The funeral was held in Littlefield Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hall and Mrs. Elmer Euler attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Maurer and son, Gaylord, visited their daughter and sister Shirley, in Albuquerque Saturday night. They spent Sunday at their cabin near Cowles where they had as their guests friends from Colorado. Mrs. Maurer returned to Albuquerque to spend the week with Shirley and Mr. Maurer and Gaylord returned home.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McKinney and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McKinney and family, all of Tucuman, New Mexico. R. C. and D. S. McKinney are Mrs. Taylor's brothers.

The 'Boss' Drops Down for a Call



Vice Admiral Donald B. Duncan, USN, Commander, Second Task Fleet, is shown after lowering himself to the afterdeck of a submarine during maneuvers of ships engaged in a Midshipmen's training cruise. Helicopters such as this Sikorsky HO4S are now being used extensively by the Fleet, particularly in carrier units, for sea-air rescue, plane guard and taxi and general utility service between Fleet units.

'Mighty Mo' Basks in Sun of the French Riviera



The USS Missouri, flagship of a Midshipman Practice Squadron, is shown at rest in the harbor of Villefranche as she took time out from the training of the future Naval officers she brought from Maryland, USA, across the waters of the Atlantic to European shores.

Hospital Notes

Patients admitted: Don Alverson, Friona, surgery; Marvin Shaffroth, Bovina, med.; Mrs. Albert Davis, Friona, maternity; Mrs. H. A. Poindexter, Bovina, maternity; Marvin Lawson, Friona, surgery; Wayne Bainum, Friona, football accident; Jack London, Friona, football accident; Nancy Alair, Friona, medical; Lavon Rogers, Friona, medical.

Patients dismissed: Don Alverson, Marvin Shaffroth, Mrs. Albert Davis and son, Wayne Bainum and Jack London.

Girl Scout News

Miss Rosemary Head, a supervisor of the Coronado Girl Scout Area, will be in Friona, Friday, October 30 to direct a leader's training course. She will help Brownie and Intermediate scout leaders plan programs for the coming year. Miss Head's next visit will be a training course for council members and troop committees.

Brownie Scouts of Troop V held their regular meeting at the scout hut Monday. Twenty four Brownies answered roll call and three visitors were present. They said the salute to the flag and sang our Brownie smile song, then the leader gave each Brownie a numbered slip with the name of an article that was good or bad to take on a hike. They

went on a hike to the leader's house and then pantomimed the name written on the slip and the other Brownies guessed what it was. They returned to the scout hut and ate cookies and the meeting adjourned.

Brownie Scribe

Intermediate Scouts of troops I and II held their first regular meeting Thursday, October 20. Troop One had a hike and wienie roast. Seventeen Scouts and four visitors were present. Plans for the next meeting are to show pictures and have talks from the girls who attended Camp Mary White this summer.

Troop II had 13 girls present. These girls are fly up Brownies and are learning their Girl Scout Laws and working very hard to win their tenderloin rank so they can get their pins and uniforms.

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Farm Bureau Membership Drive Is Being Planned

A meeting of twelve members of the Farm Bureau was held in Bovina Tuesday to conduct a membership drive over the County.

Bill Shannon, an agent for the Bureau of Insurance from Hale County, was present. He made a talk on the benefits of all Farm Bureau Insurance including the Blue Cross which is sold at cost to the members of the Farm Bureau.

There will be a county meeting the 18th of November to see how the drive has progressed and to select and vote for permanent officers. Anyone who wishes to sign up get in contact with Harold Lillard who is temporary president.

It is to the interest of all farmers to belong to the organization and it will benefit all those concerned.

Joe Mann narrowly missed death Friday when the brakes on the pickup loaded with grain he was driving failed and rolled on the railroad track in the path of a fast east bound freight train. Mann jumped just in time before the train crashed into the pickup, completely demolishing it.



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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

How to Celebrate Your Wedding Anniversary

The "Dutch" Millers celebrated their Tin Wedding Anniversary Saturday. Everything had to be tin. Folks even ate off tin plates, and drank coffee out of tin cups.

When it was time to drink a toast to the "bride and groom," out came the final touch: ice cold beer in cans. And come the Millers' 15th anniversary (Glass) I expect we'll be toasting them with sparkling beer in bottles!

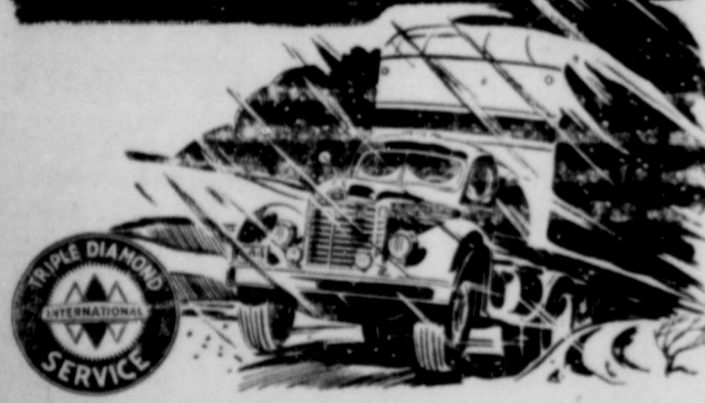
And I couldn't help thinking that there was a lesson for married folks in the way Dutch and his

missus have got along together—in their policy of live-and-let-live, with never a criticism of each other's differences in taste.

From where I sit, it's due to two things: Temperance—as that moderate preference for beer suggests, and Tolerance—for their own differences of opinion—and for the tastes of others, whether applied to beer, to politics, or how to celebrate an anniversary.

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